to specially well-qualified and experienced candidate. *Age*:—Below 50 years. *Relaxable for Government servants. Qualifications*:—*Essential*.—(i) About 15 years' experience of teaching and educational administration. (ii) Experience of basic and secondary education. Qualifications relaxable at Commission's discretion for candidates otherwise highly qualified.

8. *One Civil Assistant Surgeon, Grade I, Banarasidas Chandiwala Netra Swasthya Sadan under the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.* Temporary but likely to become permanent. *Pay*:—Rs. 260-15-440-20-500 *plus* 25 per cent of pay as non-practising allowance in lieu of private practice. *Age*:—Below 35 years. *Relaxable for Government servants. Qualifications*:—*Essential*—(i) Medical graduate with recognised post-graduate qualifications in Ophthalmology. (ii) Some training or experience in Eye Hospital or Eye Surgery. Relaxable at Commission's discretion for candidates otherwise well-qualified.

CORRIGENDUM.

In partial modification of items Nos. 10, 11, 13 and 14 of Commission's advertisement No. 20 which appeared on 17th May 1952, it is notified for general information that the posts should read as below for existing entries:—10. *One Cine-Cameraman, Press Information Bureau, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.* 11. *One Assistant Development Officer, Grade II (Pig Iron Control), Development Wing, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.* 13. *One Research Assistant, Research and Reference Division, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.* 14. *One Deputy Development Officer (Timber), Development Wing, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.* Closing date remains unchanged.

D. C. DAS,
Secretary,
Union Public Service Commission.

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL INFORMATION OFFICER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE, OLD PUBLIC OFFICES, BANGALORE.

Press Note.

Revised Petition Rules.

Government wish to notify for the information of the public that, according to the revised petition Rules approved in Government Order No. M. 7136-236—G.M. 31-50-5, dated 25th July 1950 and published in the "*Mysore Gazette*" dated 3rd August 1950, no endorsement or reply will be sent to communications addressed to Government, unless postal stamps of value of two annas are enclosed. Where a reply could be sent on a post card, it is enough if the parties concerned enclose postage of the value of nine pies. These rules are applicable to communications addressed to the Hon'ble the Ministers, all Government Offices and to local bodies also. The public are requested to enclose the necessary postal stamps to all communications addressed to the Hon'ble the Ministers, Government Offices, and to local bodies, if they want an endorsement or reply. No endorsement or reply will be issued when the necessary postage is not enclosed.

(P. N. No. 34—16-5-1952).

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the agriculturists in 187 villages in the Taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur and Molakalmuru, in Chitaldrug District, who have suffered on account of the failure of dry crops due to scanty rainfall during the year 1951-52, seasonal remission of one half of dry assessment to an extent of Rs. 32,116-5-9 (Rupees thirty-two thousand one hundred and sixteen, annas five and pies nine only) is sanctioned for the year 1951-52. The recovery of the other half of dry assessment is ordered to be suspended till the next year, *viz.*, 1952-53.

(P.N. No. 35—16-5-1952).

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Press Note.

Health of Live-stock in Mysore during April 1952.

In their order of severity, outbreaks of Rinderpest, Blackquarter, Anthrax, Foot and Mouth, Sheep-pox, Hæmorrhagic-septicæmia, Contagious Goat Pleuropneumonia, Ranikhet and Gastro-entritis were encountered in the State during April 1952. Altogether 233 villages were reported to have been affected by one or the other of the several contagious and infectious diseases as against 214 villages during the previous month. The number of outbreaks was highest in Shimoga, Bangalore and Chitaldrug districts, while Hassan, Mandya and Chikmagalur districts were least affected. These diseases accounted for 1,798 attacks, of which 847 succumbed. The departmental staff conducted 66,309 preventive innoculations and vaccinations against all the above diseases except Foot and Mouth disease. In the absence of a reliable method of vaccinatory intervention, other prophylactic measures were adopted against Foot and Mouth disease.

Twelve outbreaks of Rinderpest were registered in Bangalore North, Devanahalli, Goribidanur, Channagiri, Challakere and Sira taluks accounting for 250 attacks among cattle, of which 133 succumbed. Prompt measures of control were undertaken by the department to check its spread and 17,369 cattle in the infected villages and 22,359 cattle in 77 neighbouring villages were protected against this disease. The disease appears to be well under control at the end of the month under report.

Diseases caused by internal parasites were reported from 113 villages accounting for 5 deaths, as against 117 villages accounting for 20 deaths during the previous month. The special staff attached to the parasitic disease control units of the department dosed 8,422 animals during the previous month.

Fodder and water were generally available throughout the State.

(P. N. No. 36—21-5-52).

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the atchkatdars who have suffered on account of the failure of wet crops under the 306 tanks in Srinivasapura Taluk owing to scanty raint during the year 1950-51, seasonal remission of half-wee assessment is sanctioned in respect of the said atchkat lands for the year 1950-51.

The aggregate amount to be remitted is Rs. 15,619-1-9

(P. N. No. 37—22-5-1952).

B. N. SRI SATHYAN,
1515 *Principal Information Officer.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification.

No. S. 5-39—52-53. It is hereby notified for the general information that the extensive right of collecting Thangadi (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all State Forests, Minor Forests, Village Forests, Reserves and other Government unoccupied lands for a period of 24 months from 1st July 1952 to 30th June 1954 or from the date of confirmation to the end of June 1954 in the following Taluks and Sub-Taluks will be sold Talukwar, Hobliwar, Firkawar or in smaller units as the case may be, by public auction by the District Forest Officers of the Districts or Divisions concerned at the places and on the dates noted hereunder:—

N.B. (i) The produce in the Taluks and Sub-Taluks marked with an asterisk will be sold firkawar.
(ii) If the majority of the bidders present at the sales desire that the produce in any other taluk not marked with asterisk is to be sold firkawar, it will be done.

The sales of the units in the several districts will be held on the dates noted below:—

Any Taluk, Hobli, Firka or smaller unit that are disposed of by tender or otherwise prior to auction will be treated as withdrawn from auction and the notification regarding their sale by auction will be cancelled.